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It is certified that error appears in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

Title page,

Item [63], Related U.S. Application Data, after "March 28, 2001" insert -- which is a national stage application of PCT/JP00/05128, now U.S. Patent No. 6,515,725 issued February 4, 2003. --

Column 34,

Line 46, after "a surface" insert -- of the irregular alignment layer --.

Column 35,

Line 24, "an" should be change to -- and --.

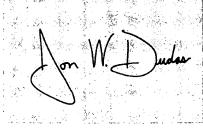
Line 29, after "alignment" (first occurrence) insert -- layer --.

Column 36,

Line 2, after "crystal" insert -- layer --.

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